

Proposed Bill No. 5407

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LCO No. 786

Referred to Committee on Labor and Public Employees

Introduced by: REP. BELDEN, 113th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING PREVAILING WAGE RATES IN MUNICIPALITIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that if a
- 2 municipality in which a project is planned abuts a municipality with a
- 3 lower prevailing wage, the municipality where the project is to be
- 4 located may reduce its prevailing wage by an amount equal to one-half
- 5 of the difference between the prevailing wage of the two
- 6 municipalities.

Statement of Purpose:

To permit municipalities to modify their prevailing wage rate so that it more closely relates to the actual labor costs of the area.